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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Lin Yu
Serial No.: 09/896,179
Filed: June 29, 2001

Confirmation No. 9539
Group Art Unit: 2171
Examiner: Te Y Chen

For: DEFERRED INDEX BUILDING SYSTEMS, METHODS AND COMPUTER PROGRAM
PRODUCTS FOR STORING TEMPORALLY SPACED APART BURSTS OF DATA
RECORDS IN A DATABASE

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Sir:

Pursuant to 35 USC §134, 37 CFR 1.191, and MPEP §1205, the Applicant in the above-identified patent application hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Office Action dated March 24, 2004 and the Advisory Action dated May 12, 2004, at least twice rejected or finally rejecting Claims 1-42.

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